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A METHOD FOR CELL CULTURE : Mail Stop Amendment

AND AN APPARATUS THEREOF

ELECTION OF INVENTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE FEE FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975.

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 22, 2007, Applicants in the above-referenced U.S. patent application hereby elects the invention in Group I corresponding to claims 14-20 and 27-32.

Should the Examiner require anything further prior to the issuance of a first Office Action on the merits, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Applicants' undersigned representative.

Respectfully submitted,

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